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EASTERN NEWS.

(BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.)

[illegible] Preparations for the Campaign.

[illegible] country.

Conversion of Hendricks—Everything Harmonious.

The Tribune's Saratoga special says the letter of acceptance will be harmonious, Hendricks having been reported as having to forgone a change of part on the currency question.

Stewart on Silver.

Senator Stewart has written a long letter to the [illegible] reiterating his known views on silver currency.

Roach Ridiculed.

The Times has a long editorial on the mission of Roach and ridiculing his views of Chinese immigration.

License Law Enforced in Boston.

Boston July 28.—The police to-day commenced the enforcement of the license law and numerous seizures of liquors were made chiefly among the poorer classes.

Reinforcements for the Indian War.

St Louis July [illegible].—All cavalry now on duty in Southern Kansas, Texas and Indian Territory have been ordered to join Gen. Terry or Crook and will leave for their destination at once.

St Paul July 29.—Orders have been issued from department headquarters here for one company of infantry from Fort Snelling and another from Fort Abercrombie to proceed immediately to Standing Rock Agency.

Disarming the Indians.

In pursuance of orders received yesterday from Gen Sheridan taking military control of the Sioux [illegible] and treating the absent Indians as enemies, to disarm and deprive them of their ponies, [illegible] coming in or endeavoring to go out and to be [illegible] and held as prisoners of war, the commanding officers at the Standing Rock, Cheyenne and Lower Brule agencies have been informed of the orders and notified that they can have all the [illegible] needed for performing the same.

Postoffice Clerk Caught Stealing from the Mails.

Columbus July 29.—John Reeves for 13 years employed in the Columbus postoffice was arrested this morning for opening letters and abstracting contents. More than six months ago losses in the mails were reported by the Columbus office to the department, and since that time Special Agent Henry and the postoffice officials have been engaged in an investigation. At last suspicion fell on Reeves and he was shadowed and watched through perforated walls and floors. He adroitly avoided a great many, and although detected two or three times [illegible] opening letters was not caught in the act of abstracting money till this morning. When charged with the crime he confessed. He has been taken to Cincinnati for examination. He was an active member of the Methodist church.

Chicago Wheat Market.

Chicago July 31.—The fluctuations of the wheat market during the past week have been rapid and [illegible] amounting in one day to six cents per bushel. [illegible] of hot wheat has been raised by the bears [illegible] the heated term gave rise to the possibility [illegible] the elevators were out of condition to an extent that has kept prices down to what many regard as bottom figures. Reports that wheat in Chicago [illegible] were so numerous that the board [illegible] the appointment of a committee to investigate the matter. Their report made to-day [illegible] the wheat in first class condition in every [illegible], but some dozen isolated bins were found [illegible] out of order. No 2 spring to-day sold at [illegible] and closed at those figures. Reports from [illegible] in this section of country where large crops of spring wheat are raised are conflicting, grasshoppers are said to be numerous and destructive [illegible] in some sections, but they appear to have worked in narrow belts of land [illegible] to have confined themselves chiefly to the [illegible] and oat crops and to have deposited fewer [illegible] than usual. Indications now are that the [illegible] crop in the above section will be good if not [illegible] average and prices will rule lower than last year. There remains much to be harvested, however, and rains or rust may shorten the crop. One thing seems certain that the quality of this year's crop will be much better than usual. Highest price [illegible] past week has been 92¾c, lowest [illegible]. Corn [illegible] but little variation in price, the good demand and heavy Eastern shipments sustaining prices and probability of large crop and heavy receipts preventing any marked advance. Oats will probably yield largely in excess of the past few years. Rye and barley remain depressed in [illegible] the lull in whisky-making business occasioned by prosecutions of the past year having closed many distilleries and reduced the running power of others.

Charlie Ross Again.

Philadelphia July 31.—The mulatto man George, [illegible] recently asserted that Charley Ross was alive and well, that he could find him, has suddenly [illegible]. It is supposed in consequence of Charley's father telling him he would have him hung, [illegible] apparently alarmed him. Ross believes [illegible] has seen Charley since his abduction. He [illegible] anxious to get money now, said it [illegible] about forty dollars to go to where the [illegible].

Railroad Collision.

A collision on the Virginia Midland Railroad took place to-day near Manassas; three injured and smashed.

Workingmen in Trouble.

About 1,000 workingmen met in Tompkinsville square to-day. They declare 9,000 men are out of [illegible] in this city daily searching for work [illegible] and are living on the charity of friends and neighbors. They formed a procession, headed by fifteen policemen, marched to the mayor's office in the city hall. The longshoremen struck to-day for an increase of wages. Police reserves are out to preserve the peace.

Fair Promises.

New York July 31.—The 1,000 unemployed workingmen who made a demonstration and their committee waited upon the acting mayor, [illegible] commissioner of public work and comptroller this [illegible] reported that each promised to do his best to [illegible] the prevailing distress.

Strike of Longshoremen.

New York July 31.—Nearly 2,000 longshoremen of the Inman, Anchor, General Transatlantic, Williams & Guion, Pacific Mail, Red Star and Harrison steamship lines have quit work. No trouble has ensued and the men lounge along the [illegible] and in the corner liquor stores discussing the situation. The stevedores say they can procure all the men they want at lower wages and will not accede to the demands of the strikers.

Suicide.

Denver, Col July [illegible].—The jury in the Yankee [illegible] trial at Boulder brought in a verdict of guilty of premeditated murder in the first degree. [illegible] this morning at [illegible] the prisoner suicided by hanging with a curtain cord in his cell.

Little Rock July 31.—State Senator from this [illegible], Col. J. M. Loughborough, a prominent and highly respected citizen, this afternoon, while laboring under temporary aberration of mind, took a pistol and fired a charge through his heart.

Suicide of a Bishop.

New York July 31.—The London Times says Bishop Butcher of Meath, Ireland, committed suicide while delirious and suffering from [illegible] of the lungs and bronchitis. On his table was a slip of paper bearing the single word "mad."

Stock in a Flutter.

Philadelphia July [illegible].—The excitement [illegible] consequence of the [illegible] of Weston, the Passenger Railway stock [illegible] afternoon continues to-day without abatement. At a meeting of the board this morning six firms of brokers [illegible] their inability [illegible]. [illegible] stood at 61 to-day [illegible] heavy losses as a consequence of the collapse, [illegible] nothing definite can be known for two or three days.

New York July 31.—Erie [illegible] securities declined on the false rumor of the assassination of [illegible].

Gold and Stocks.

New York July [illegible] [illegible] C. P. bonds [illegible]

Gardner's Wall.

It is reported [illegible] $1,000,000 for [illegible] club [illegible]

Bristow Out for Hayes and Wheeler.

[illegible]

The [illegible] but probably

WASHINGTON CITY.

The Washington Press on the Silver Bill.

Washington July 31.—[illegible] The argument that the revival of the silver dollar [illegible] that making silver a legal tender would not necessarily affect [illegible] than it is now affected by the legal tender quality of greenbacks. Some members take the position that harm was done in this direction when Congress authorized the exchange of silver coins for fractional currency. It is reported to-day that Gibson of Louisiana, a hard money Democrat and prominent member of the banking and currency committee, will offer a resolution for the appointment of a special commission to investigate the entire silver question and report at the next session, until which time opponents of the pending bill will then endeavor to postpone the whole subject. Failing in this they will [illegible] a two-thirds vote, filibuster to attain the same objects by dilatory motions with good prospects of success.

The Sutro Tunnel Royalty.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office has agreed to hear on the second day after the adjournment of Congress argument of counsel on the Sutro tunnel royalty clause in all patents for mines within the district claimed to be located over connecting spurs and veins of the Comstock lode. Till that time the Commissioner will be too much engaged with other business to take up this case.

Complaints against P. O. Reductions of Salaries and Expenses.

Complaints are pouring into the Postoffice Department from all sections of the country against reductions of allowances for salaries and expenses of postmasters, which seriously cripples the efficiency of the offices. These reductions have been made according to uniform rule, yet each office claims especial consideration and favor. Senator Sargent yesterday went to the Department to present protests of the San Francisco postoffice, but in the absence of the First Assistant Postmaster General who has charge of this branch of the business nothing could be accomplished and the matter must be postponed till he returns next week. The reductions are necessitated by the insufficiency of Congressional appropriations.

Senate Committee on the Chinese Question.

The committee on the part of the Senate to investigate the Chinese question on the Pacific coast will be composed of Senators Morton, Sargent and Carpenter. Morton will leave for California in October, immediately after the Indiana State election.

Gov. Axtell will take part in the Campaign in Ohio.

Gov. Axtell of New Mexico will take part in the campaign in Ohio by invitation of Ohio Republicans.

A Model Democratic Letter.

Representative Hale of Maine in the course of his speech yesterday on the naval committee's report argued that if political abuses exist in the navy yards they have merely come down from former years and as proof and illustration of this argument he read the following official letter addressed by the commandant of Mare Island Navy Yard to naval contractor Hanscom, in Sept., 1858:

Sir: Mr Turner, civil engineer, objects to the requisition for a sawyer to superintend the sawmill without its going through his office and further states that the sawmill is under immediate charge of the master joiner. I have heard also that the man selected by you is a Black Republican. If this is so he cannot be admitted on the rolls of this yard while I command it.

Respectfully your obedient servant

R. B. CUNNINGHAM, Com.

Senate Committee Report Adverse to Granting Dalles Military Reservation to Oregon.

The Senate military affairs committee have reported very emphatically on the petitions asking Congress to grant the Dalles Military Reservation and buildings to the State of Oregon for the purpose of an insane asylum, indorsed by Gen. O. O. Howard with a statement that he thinks no better disposition can be made of it. The committee after referring to recommendation of the war department made to Congress in 1861 that the property should be sold and after quoting report from Secretary Cameron that grain can be raised in perfection and that the buildings are of value, say they see no especial reason why this portion of the public domain should be granted to Oregon, or why that state should receive such donation. Any other state might with equal propriety expect any other portion of the public land within its boundaries. They therefore report a bill providing that the reservation be sold by the interior department for cash at not less than appraised value.

The President will Answer Wilson.

A personal friend of the President is authority for the statement that Grant has said he does not intend to rely upon the efforts of his friends to defend him against Bluford Wilson's history, but will himself prepare a statement to be submitted to the committee which he claims will be able to controvert all that may have been said to his disfavor.

New York July 31.—The World's Washington special says Grant is very angry at Wilson's testimony and declares a purpose, it is said, to come out in a written statement next week or demand a hearing before the committee on expenditures in the Department of Justice finished its report. It severely arraigns the department and Grant [illegible] and charges that the department has been prostituted. The bulk of the report is devoted to the expenditure of money under the enforcement act and for prevention of frauds at elections. Davenport's testimony is reviewed at length and charges that moneys were given to him for the purpose of influencing elections. Various changes in the law are recommended.

The committee on expenditures in the Interior Department will report exonerating Nichols.

Investigators Require Investigation.

The Times' Washington special says Ordway remains in town ready and anxious to explain the charges against him but the Democratic party won't allow him to. It turns out that the only members who are put in position where they need to make explanations are Buckner and Luttrell, both of whom seem to have saved something for themselves out of their allowance for expenses which they never refunded, and both these men need the testimony of Ordway to help them out of the difficulty and they are angry with Glover for timidly striking at them. The charges against Ordway are all easy of explanation and their [illegible] not apparent and the committee in refusing to put him on the stand is exhibiting again the spirit of partisanship which has controlled nearly all the investigations. Mr Ordway is again [illegible] a hearing to-morrow and the pressure is now very great on Glover to compel him to [illegible] his promise.

Contemplated European Tour.

Grant is said to have remarked the other day that he should go to England in March and visit his daughter. He thought he might travel in Europe for a year or two and then return home by way of China and California.

A False Charge Refuted.

Chicago July 31.—A Washington special says the Indian office denies a statement to be made that [illegible] Sitting Bull [illegible] the government force was insufficient to prevent [illegible] traffic.

Postal Changes.

Washington July 31.—Postoffice name changed: Clear Creek, Clackamas county, Oregon, to [illegible] [illegible]

Good Contested Election Case.

[illegible]

The Cook-Tilden Agreement Carried Out.

[illegible]

The President on the Appropriations.

Washington [illegible]

[illegible]

The President gets Disgusted.

Chicago July [illegible].—The Tribune's Washington special says the President has become disgusted at the long continuance of the session of Congress and [illegible] to go to Long Branch. He has arranged for a cottage at the Soldiers' Home where President Lincoln used to stay and his family will move there to-morrow.

No Prospect of Adjournment.

There seems to be no indications of an adjournment this week. The Senate will have a long discussion over the Belknap verdict and the House is likely to have 11 investigating committee reports to act on, each of which will provoke more or less discussion.

River and Harbor Appropriations.

Washington July 31.—The Senate appropriation committee held another meeting on the river and harbor bill to-day and before reporting it to the Senate made some changes in their work of Saturday. One of the changes was to strike out the item of $1,000 for Sacramento and Feather rivers. Sargent succeeded, however, in restoring the full amount of $5,000 for Oakland harbor and in obtaining $20,000 for San Joaquin river instead of $8,000 and $15,000 respectively, as provided Saturday. All detailed provisions for surveys are omitted but $40,000 are appropriated for such surveys as the department may deem advisable. The list of Pacific coast items with the exceptions stands as telegraphed Saturday night.

The Silver Question, Etc.

Representative Cox's action to-day in offering a proposition for a commission to investigate the silver question and financial topics generally during the recess of Congress is [illegible] that Gibson and other opponents of the pending silver bill have gained Democratic strength since last week and that their movement for postponement of the whole subject till next session will probably prevail. The position now taken by Cox gives additional reason for crediting the rumor that Tilden has signified to him a determination to decline the Presidential candidacy if the House passes any bill to repeal the specie resumption act.

Avery's Case.

The President in a recent conversation referring to the applications for the pardon of W. O. Avery said that the papers in this case had followed the course of every similar petition in being referred by him to the Attorney General and from the Department of Justice to the District Attorney and Judge Wm. Coty where the trial took place. The President said such papers never came back to him and he had taken no action whatever to forestall any determination on the part of the Attorney General, or to interfere in the slightest degree with the judgment of that officer in these premises.

Some Gentlemen who Can't See the Door.

Washington July 31.—E. D. Ward, chief of special agents of the postoffice department, and special Agent Sprague in charge of the stamped envelope manufactory at Hartford, Conn., have declined to tender their resignation in compliance with the request of Postmaster General Tyner.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Another Abdication.

Vienna July 31.—The Sultan Murad has signed his abdication.

Attempt to Blow up the French Embassy.

Paris July 31.—It is reported on information contained in special dispatches that a number of Turkish desperadoes in Constantinople attempted to blow up the French Embassy in that city.

Funding the Spanish Debt.

Paris July 31.—The Message says that arrangements respecting the consolidation of the Spanish external national debt have been concluded. The debt which amounts to 250,000,000 francs will be reimbursed by means of crediting 6 per cent stocks issued at 85 per cent by a syndicate comprising the Bank of Spain, the house of Rothschild and many French and Spanish financiers.

Notable Death.

London, July 31.—Most Rev. Samuel Butcher, Bishop of Meath, Premier Bishop of Ireland, is dead.

The Eastern War.

Ragusa, July 31.—Advices from Slavonic sources confirm the intelligence of the complete defeat of the Turks on the 28th inst. near Urbije. The Montenegrins captured 900 Nizals besides Osman Pasha, five guns and several flags. The Turks attacked the Montenegrins at Hutchi, but were repulsed. Selim Pasha was wounded.

Paris July 31.—Vienna intelligence asserts that Turkey and Austria favor the Pretender Karageorgevitch, declares that if Prince Milan returns to Belgrade vanquished he will be dethroned.

London, July 31.—A Standard special from Kalafat says the Turkish army crossed the Servian frontier at Kassa Saturday. A great battle is expected. There is great excitement at the seat of war owing [illegible] Christians on account of a proclamation of [illegible] Pasha, the Turkish commander in Bosnia, prohibiting quarter to Christians. A [illegible] says there is now distressing want of [illegible] officers in the hospital and much needless suffering.

A Ragusa special says Salim Pasha has been killed.

A Berlin dispatch says 1,000 Circassian settlers in Russia are reported to have emigrated to Austria last week.

A Belgrade special says Col. Autich, General Zach's successor, is bombarding Suraza, which commands the pass between Bosnia on one side and Novabazar and the country whence comes supplies and reinforcements on the other. It is of vital importance to both commands.

A Ragusa dispatch says Mukhtar Pasha admits losing 10,000 men in the fight with Montenegrins.

A Pesth special says the annexation of Bosnia by Austria is not [illegible].

The *Daily News'* Pesth correspondent from Galatz reports 70,000 Tcherkess [illegible] have revolted against the Russians in Caucasia and are overpowering the garrisons.

The *Cologne* special telegram gives details of the massacre of Turks in Bosnia. Three hundred Christians were tortured and drowned in the villages of Pervan and Timar. Twelve women were cut to pieces at Pavice. Sixty children were stoned to death at Rathbovo and one hundred and eighty girls were violated and murdered at Sackabon.

A *Times* special says the Turks at Wiltzza after two hours fighting fled in uncontrollable panic. The greater part of the army was lost. [illegible] at Trebinje. This disaster leaves Herzegovina practically defenseless.

The *Telegraph's* Vienna special speaking of intervention says the initiative will be taken by England at Belgrade and Constantinople with the approval of the powers. The belligerents are favorable to peace negotiations.

London July 31.—[illegible]

The Turks engaged Friday near [illegible]

The Late Queen Visits Madrid.

[illegible]

A Man who Wants to Make Trouble.

[illegible]

Bank of England.

[illegible]

Public Education in Italy.

[illegible]

Prorogation of Parliament.

[illegible]

Silver.

[illegible]

Fall Potter—Enter Mullett.

[illegible]

No African War Yet.

[illegible]

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate

Washington July 31.—[illegible]

Edmunds offered an order as to allow any Senator to give his reasons if any in accordance with the order agreed to.

The Senate sitting as a court adjourned till to-morrow and legislative business was resumed. Allison from committee on appropriations reported back the river and harbor appropriation bill with amendments and it was placed on the calendar.

House.

After reading the journal the consideration was resumed of reports of committee on naval affairs and Whitthorne advocated the majority report.

The resolution reported by the majority of the naval committee referring the case of the secretary of the Navy to the judiciary committee was adopted.

The minority resolution was rejected, yeas [illegible], nays 116.

On a call of States a number of bills were introduced and referred.

Randall, chairman of the committee on appropriations, reported a bill appropriating $1,000 for the purchase of Indian supplies until the regular Indian appropriation bill becomes law and to authorize purchases in open market without advertisement; passed.

[illegible] reported bills extending appropriations for various departments of government until August; passed.

The Speaker laid before the House a message from the President pointing out some of the defects in the sundry civil bill in making inadequate provision for some branches of the public service.

Randall said he had no objection to the President putting in as many objections as he saw fit if he would only sign bills reducing the expenses of the government and assist the House in its great effort in that direction. The President in some of his comments shows a lack of information. He finds fault without any reason whatever. For one, he accepted the issue presented by the President and was willing that the people shall have opportunity of judging between his dictation and the action of both branches of Congress after close examination.

Holman [illegible] the action of the President. The communication was referred to the appropriation committee.

Glover, chairman of the real estate pool, made an effort to get in his report but did not succeed.

Bills for commission to take into consideration the relative value of gold and silver &c., were introduced by Cox and Gibson and referred to the committee on banking and currency, Cox expressing the hope that the committee would be able to report to-morrow.

The reading of almost all bills introduced to-day was insisted on by Kasson and others in order to prevent any measure for repeal of the resumption act being forced on the House. Adjourned.

THE WHISKY TRIALS.

Bluford Wilson's Testimony Continued. He Tells a great many Interesting Secrets.

Washington July 30.—The seal of secrecy having been removed from the concluding portion of the testimony of Ex Solicitor Bluford Wilson, it is given to the press. Much of it is a repetition of his former testimony or in explanation thereof. Wilson testified that about the 9th of September he wrote a letter to Henderson in which he stated substantially that during the hearing of the motion to quash the indictments in McDonald's case, then pending before Judge Miller, it was thought important that McDonald and Joyce should be put under strict surveillance and that every proper precaution should be taken to prevent their escape, that it was highly important that associates and conspirators with McDonald and Joyce, if any there are known, should be discovered and brought to punishment, and used the words that it was of the utmost importance to the public interest that he should go to the bottom and top of the combination. I believed I was fully authorized and warranted to do so by the terms of the President's endorsement of the Barnard letter and supposed in so doing I would receive his support and approval. It turned out that this letter of mine was taken from among the papers of Gen Henderson while he was engaged in an argument in court at St. Louis; that McDonald or Joyce had possession of it and to support the charge that I was putting spies [illegible] brought back from the West by [illegible] and shown to Bristow and Pierrepont who were much disturbed, but Wilson had no difficulty convincing them of the forgery. That was the end of the matter. Wilson also explained the letter to Gen Horace Porter who said at once, "Wilson, I don't want to hear anything more. That is enough of that matter. The letter is a forgery beyond question, and that lets you out." I said, "A word with you, General, about that letter. I wrote that letter intending that Gen. Babcock should be looked after. If he was in the ring I intended to catch him if it was in my power; if he was not, I intended to demonstrate his innocence beyond the shadow of a doubt if possible to do so." I asked Gen Porter what explanation he had of the Sylph telegram and he gave me an explanation to the effect that Sylph was a lewd woman with whom the President of the United States had been an intimate associate and she had bothered and annoyed the President until at one time it chanced that McDonald's attention was called to her and he said he knew her and would relieve the President of her, which he did. Gen Porter said to me, without going any further into the explanation, that the most estimable service in my power to render the President of the United States would be to shield and save General Babcock from exposure; that these matters were of a character that could not be gone into without giving all parties the very greatest trouble and concern. I told the General that I would do what I could fairly to see that Gen. Babcock was honestly and squarely dealt with and that no injury was done him, but that further than that I could not and would not go; the matter was in the hands of local officers and I would urge upon them the grave importance to all parties that no mistake should be made in reference to Gen Babcock's connection with the ring. Gen Porter expressed himself as perfectly satisfied. Wilson testified as follows with reference to an interview with the President. He took the Barnard letter and read to him the extract from it in which Mr Normile was [illegible] with having said substantially that the President [illegible] too far with Babcock or he is lost. I read to him that part of the letter in which Jim Casey was referred to and I turned over the letter and on the back of it read to him with great deliberation the endorsement in which he had said "these newspaper clippings and this letter are sent to the Department to the end that if they throw any light upon a new witness to be summoned they may be [illegible]." [illegible]

[illegible]

Wilson's Letter of Resignation.

The following is the letter of resignation of Bluford Wilson:

Washington June 29.

Sir: For reasons as expected by you at our interview this morning I have the honor to tender my resignation as Solicitor of the Treasury to take effect the 1st of July. Permit me to express my gratitude for opportunities [illegible] you have [illegible] the kind [illegible] give me, and to renew the assurance of my high regard. With great respect,

BLUFORD WILSON.

WEST INDIES.

An Insurgent Raid.

Havana, July 29.—On the 21st inst. at midnight a party of insurgents numbering 400, supposed to be headed by Chief Figueredo, entered Santa Clara and succeeded in sacking two large provision stores and [illegible] them. The insurgents were repulsed by the Spanish troops, leaving seven killed. The troops had six killed and seven wounded.

Spanish Officials Charged with Defalcation.

Lt Col Federico Frisso, formerly secretary of Captain General Valmaseda, and Senor Frodher of the firm of Arman & Co., provision dealers, have been cited to answer charges of defalcation and misdemeanor in the supply of provisions to the Spanish army. If they do not appear within thirty days they will be declared culpable and sentenced by court martial.

The Cuban Brigands.

Havana, July 29.—Three hundred mounted insurgents under Fonte threw a baggage train off the railroad track at Las Breas. One of the cars was iron clad and contained an officer and seven soldiers for the protection of the train. The soldiers were all killed. The insurgents sacked the train and carried off the contents, consisting of clothing, shoes, boots, etc. Convoys from Vala Cava with $60,000 in gold and a large quantity of provisions were recently captured by the insurgents. It is rumored Brig. Gens. Berk and Armin are prisoners in Cuba for blunders committed in connection with this affair.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

San Francisco July 31.—Ophir 47¼, Mexican 54¼, G & C 16¾, B & B 47½, California 61¾, Savage 20¼, Con Va 56, H & N 10¾, Crown Point 11¼, Yellow Jacket 27¼, Imperial 5, Chollar 90, Belcher 17¾, S Nevada 10¾, Confidence 16¾, Overman 7¼, Justice 24, Union 10¼, Julia 8¼, Bryan 1½, Caledonia 10¼, Utah 19, Alpha 40, Kentuck 11¾.

Evening Board—Valley ¾, Raymond 9, Lucon 12½, Jackson 3¾, Alps 1¼, Belmont 2¼, Leopard 10¼, Gila 60c, Panther 1¼, N Belle 19¼, Hussey [illegible], Gen Thomas 2, Modoc 1½, Coso Con 3½c, New Coso 2½, G Chariot 4, S Chariot 9c, Baltimore 2¼, [illegible] Hill 7¾, Knickerbocker 3¼, Challenge 4¾, R Island 1¼, New York 1¼, Occidental 3½, B Sheridan 1¼, Alta 3¼, Kossuth 1¼, Point [illegible] 40c, Andes 2, Florida 1, Wells Fargo 15c, Niagara 17c, Ward 1¼, Cosmopolitan [illegible], Leviathan 55c, Amazon 55c, North Con V [illegible], Prospect 6, Maryland 1, West Belcher [illegible], [illegible] Cromer 2, B & B 46, Julia 8¼, Chollar 91, Con Va 56¼, Mexican 54¼, Caledonia 10¼, Justice 24¼, California 62, Imperial 5, Ophir 47, Overman 7¼, Union 10¼, Point 11¼, H & N 10¾.

Serious Accident.

A serious and probably fatal accident occurred at the race track between 6 and 7 o'clock this morning—Alec Ayers, rider of the horse Morphine, had him out for exercise when the animal became fractious and the rider was thrown violently to the ground and stunned by the fall, sustaining severe internal injuries. The boy was alive but unconscious.

Stock Market.

California street was more crowded than for some time past and the strength of stocks in open board this morning put the crowd in excellent humor, which was somewhat dashed by dropping off of prices at the regular morning call.

Reduction in Freights.

It is reported to-day that a ship was chartered for grain to Europe Saturday at £2 12s 6d, though the story is denied by those interested in keeping up freights. There seems no doubt, however, that the anti wheat ring movement is developing considerable strength.

Diseased Meat.

The market inspector reports that Chinese butchers are doing a big business in buying up diseased carcasses and retailing them to white butchers. A large amount of diseased meat was seized to-day at a Chinese shop on Grand Island.

Smallpox.

San Francisco July 31.—Seventeen cases of smallpox reported Saturday, nine Sunday and ten to-day up to noon, with five deaths from that disease in the meantime. The crowds at the health office increase daily, and physicians in attendance are overtaxed.

Saturday night a man named Newton died in a lodging house on the Brenham place, who had been attended by a physician named J. M. Barondis, who testified the cause of his death was scarlet fever. Dr. Stivers and Coroner Swan viewed the body at the morgue and found it was a case of malignant small pox. This afternoon Barondis was arrested at his residence in a lodging house, on complaint of Dr. Meares, health officer, charging him with misdemeanor in not reporting the case at the health office as the law required. Considerable indignation has been expressed at what is considered willful concealment of the disease by Barondis.

Stockton July 31.—Smallpox in a mild form made its appearance in this city Tuesday of last week; five cases are reported this evening, health officers taking every precaution to prevent the spread of the disease. All necessary sanitary precautions have been taken by the board of health. Physicians report the disease thus far of a mild character.

Fire.

Santa Cruz July 31.—About 3 o'clock yesterday morning two small houses belonging to Mr Leslie were discovered to be on fire. The buildings were entirely destroyed, loss about $800. The house of Mr. Hale was also on fire but the damage was slight. It is believed to be the work of an incendiary. Leslie is known to have enemies in this community who have already more than once set fire to his property. This makes the third case this month of houses being totally destroyed by fire and in every case incendiaries have been the cause without doubt.

UTAH.

Ann Eliza's Alimony Reduced.

Salt Lake, July 31.—This morning Judge [illegible] rendered a decision in the case of [illegible] vs. Young to recover alimony. The decision reduces the amount made payable by the order of Judge McKean from $500 to $100 per month, thus diminishing the amount [illegible] and gives defendant [illegible] property. [illegible] costs of suit shall be [illegible].

NEVADA

Want to Reduce Wages.

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[illegible] will waken you at early dawn.

DECISION IN U S CIRCUIT COURT BY JUDGE DEADY

U. S. Circuit Court, District of Oregon.

W. W. Page v. Joseph W. Trutch—No. [illegible]. Action to recover money.

Monday, July [illegible], 1876.

An attorney who is employed by the lender to examine the title of property offered as a security for a contemplated loan by the borrower is responsible to the lender for the correctness of his opinion, although the expense of the examination is paid by the borrower.

If the attorney certifies that the security is a good one he thereby warrants that the title shall not only be found good at the end of a contested litigation but that it is free from any palpable, grave doubts or serious question as to its validity.

An attorney who conducts a suit to foreclose a mortgage taken upon his certificate that the title was good is not entitled to extra compensation because of labor and time consumed in such suit in contesting the validity of such mortgage upon a question within the scope of his certificate.

Whatever extra labor or time is bestowed in conducting the suit on account of such question being raised is bestowed for the benefit of the attorney himself in maintaining his certificate, and he is only entitled to charge his client as for an uncontested case.

DEADY J.

This action is brought to recover the sum of $1,800 gold coin, with interest from April 20, 1876, for professional services rendered by the plaintiff to the defendant between November 1874 and said date, in conducting a suit to foreclose a mortgage upon the north half of block 8 in the city of Portland.

The answer of the defendant admits the services but denies that they are worth more than $500 in coin, and alleges that the plaintiff in the conduct of said suit received sundry sums of money from the defendant for which he has failed to account, and also that the loan for which said mortgage was given as security was made upon the certificate of the plaintiff acting as attorney for defendant to the effect that the property was a good and valid security for such loan, but that in fact there was a grave question as to the validity of said mortgage and that the same was "a perilous and doubtful one," whereby the defendant was put to great costs, trouble and delay in collecting his money and suffered great loss on account of the uncertainty of the title to said property and the consequent depreciation in its market value.

The reply admits the receipt of $86 50 in currency by the plaintiff on defendant's account, but denies that plaintiff was employed by defendant to examine the validity of the mortgage, and that the security was doubtful or perilous.

In pursuance of the stipulation of the parties, the cause was heard by the court on July 21st, without the intervention of a jury.

From the evidence the facts of the case appear to be as follows:

In December 1873 Mr Edwin Russell, then manager of the Bank of British Columbia in this city, and the agent of the defendant, then and now a resident of Victoria, V. I., loaned to D. D. Bunnell, guardian of the five minor children of Ensley R. Scott, deceased, the sum of $12,000 in gold coin, at one per centum per month interest, and took as security therefor a mortgage executed by said Bunnell as guardian aforesaid, upon the north half of block 8 in the city of Portland, the same being the property of said minor children. That said Bunnell before executing said mortgage, procured the order of the county court of Multnomah county, authorizing him as guardian aforesaid so to do; that said Russell, before making said loan and accepting said security, employed the plaintiff to examine the title to said property and the authority of said Bunnell to execute said mortgage, and that said plaintiff in pursuance of said employment, gave said Russell a certificate to the effect that the title to said property was in said minor children, and said Bunnell was duly authorized to make the loan and execute the mortgage as security therefor, and that said money was borrowed for the purpose of improving said property by building a market house thereon, which was done.

That afterwards, in November, 1874, the interest being in arrears upon said mortgage, the plaintiff was employed by said Russell acting as the agent of the defendant, to foreclose the same; that in pursuance of said employment he brought suit in the circuit court for the county aforesaid, where there was a decree dismissing the same upon the ground that the mortgage was invalid for want of power in the county court to license the guardian to mortgage his wards' property; that thereupon said plaintiff took an appeal to the supreme court of the State, which court upon consideration of the cause gave a decree foreclosing said mortgage and directing a sale of the premises for the amount due thereon, and that afterwards in the spring of 1876 the plaintiff caused said property to be offered at sale upon an execution to satisfy said decree, at which sale there being no bidders, the defendant by his agent Mr. Lloyd Brooke bid in the same at $15,500, that being substantially the amount then due thereon. That the defendant has only received in satisfaction of the decree in said suit of Trutch v. Bunnell the property aforesaid, and that assuming the title to be good it is not now and was not at the time of said sale worth more that $12,000 in gold coin. That it was worth to foreclose said mortgage, provided there had been no material objection to the validity of the same, not more than 5 per centum of the amount recovered, but there being good cause to question the validity of the same for the alleged want of power in the county court to authorize the guardian to execute the same, and the suit to foreclose being contested by the guardian *ad litem* on that ground it was worth not more than $1,000.

That the plaintiff, while acting as attorney for the defendant in said foreclosure suit received from the clerk of said circuit court, out of the moneys paid to said clerk by the defendant as costs and expenses of said suit, the sum of $160 in currency, for which he has not accounted to the defendant.

On the argument several questions of law and fact were discussed by counsel. The plaintiff insisted that in making the examination of the title of the mortgaged premises he was not acting as the attorney for the defendant, but for Bunnell. But upon the evidence it is clear that the facts and law are to the contrary.

In his own testimony, the plaintiff, while he states that Russell was not to pay him for the examination and that Bunnell was, also admits that Russell would not make the loan except upon his certificate that the title was good and that the county court had power to authorize the loan, and that he gave him such certificate; while Mr. Russell testifies explicitly that he employed the plaintiff who was then attorney for the Bank to make the examination and that upon his certificate he made the loan, but that it was understood that Bunnell was to pay all the expenses of the examination of the title as it was the custom for the borrower to do. Add to this the frequent declarations of the plaintiff to the agent of the defendant when doubts were expressed as to the success of the foreclosure suit that he was responsible for the validity of the mortgage and would pay the defendant himself if he failed to make it out of the mortgaged premises, and there can be [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible] the plaintiff [illegible] extraordinary [illegible] character of the litigation involved in the foreclosure suit and the extra time, labor and risk incurred by him in conducting it. In reply to this it is argued for the defendant that as the loan was made by him on the plaintiff's certificate that the security was good and he being responsible for that opinion, if any serious [illegible] in the course of the litigation concerning the validity of the mortgage, just so far the [illegible] the certificate was impugned or brought in question and whatever extra labor, time or risk the plaintiff incurred on this account was in fact incurred for himself, and therefore the defendant ought not to be required to compensate him for it.

The certificate is not to be considered a warranty against every frivolous and speculative question which the dishonesty of the debtor or the ingenuity of counsel may interpose against the enforcement of the security, but I think it ought to be held as a warranty or representation not only that the mortgage would be found or held to be valid at the end of a protracted and expensive litigation, but that there was no palpable, grave doubt or serious question concerning its validity.

Ordinarily, when a party loans money upon the certificate of an attorney that the title to the proposed security is good, he does not expect that in the enforcement of such security he may encounter a question which gives the debtor or other persons interested in the property a reasonable ground to contest his claim and put him to the risk and expense of a contested litigation. Upon this branch of the case my conclusion is, that the defendant having taken the security in question upon the opinion of the plaintiff that it was valid, whatever extra labor or risk the latter incurred in enforcing it on account of its alleged invalidity was incurred in contemplation of law and good morals for himself and not the defendant, and therefore he is only entitled to compensation as for an uncontested suit to foreclose.

In disposing of this question I have not considered it necessary or proper to express an opinion upon the validity of the mortgage. Most of the gentlemen of the bar who were examined as witnesses in the case expressed the opinion that it was invalid, and leaving out of consideration the effect of the certificate, fixed the compensation of the plaintiff proportionately high—one of them, Judge Strong, even going so far as to say that he ought to have 25 per centum of the value recovered, upon the principle, I suppose, that he considered the debt in such extreme peril that the attorney who recovered it ought to be considered as a salvor and allowed salvage.

But even supposing that the plaintiff had not given the certificate, and that he is entitled to compensation accordingly, he could not recover the fee claimed. Whatever risk there might be in the litigation there could not be any extraordinary labor or time attending it. There was no witness to examine or evidence to sift and marshal. The contest, so far as there was one, turned upon a single, narrow question of statute law, upon which the arguments on either side are apparent and limited. The opinion of Mr Justice Shattuck, before whom the case was heard in the court below, was that $1,000 was a reasonable compensation for the services, and such was the opinion of other leading attorneys at this bar. In a country where the justices of the supreme court only get a salary of $3,000 per annum, a fee of $1,000 for conducting a foreclosure suit involving $14,000 and one such question of law and two or three weeks' work at the outside, ought to be considered a liberal compensation. But the conclusion having been reached that the plaintiff is only entitled to recover as for an uncontested suit, it is not necessary to consider the matter in this light any further. Upon this point there is no conflict in the evidence. All the witnesses agree that for an uncontested foreclosure suit, 5 per centum upon the amount recovered is a reasonable compensation for the services of the attorney. To ascertain what this amount is, as there was no money collected on the decree, it became necessary to enquire into the value of the mortgaged property bid in by the defendant. Upon this question the evidence is quite conflicting. It is agreed upon the assumption that the defendant acquired a good title to the property by the purchase at the sheriff's sale, and so it will be considered. The figures range from $25,000 to $10,000. From all the circumstances of the case, and the relation of the witnesses to the transaction and the subject of real property in this city, I am very certain that the minimum valuation is much nearer the mark than the maximum one. The property consists of 4 lots between Front and First and Jefferson and Madison streets. The improvement upon it is a one-story brick building about 40 feet wide and 200 feet long. It was built for a market house where there appears to be no demand for one. No one offered to bid upon the property at the sale and it only brings in $50 per month rent. I have found the value of it to be $12,000, and my impression is that that sum is rather above than below its real worth. Five per centum upon this sum is $600, which is the amount the plaintiff is entitled to recover, less the amount received by him from the defendant. The evidence upon the latter point is not satisfactory. But it appears from two receipts given by the plaintiff to the clerk of the circuit court that he received from the latter out of the costs and expenses paid by the defendant in the foreclosure suit the sum of $224 50 in currency. But the plaintiff shows by the receipt of the clerk of the supreme court that he had advanced $35 50 of this amount and was entitled to receive it back. Besides this I deduct $29 from these receipts because I am not satisfied but that it was advanced by the plaintiff. This leaves $160 of the amount received by the plaintiff unaccounted for, which must be deducted from the sum due plaintiff for his services. Converting the $600 into currency gives $660, which sum less the $160, is the amount for which the plaintiff is entitled to judgment—$500.

G. W. Yocum and *Hugh T. Bingham* for plaintiff.

John Catlin for defendant.

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REMOVAL.

DR. ALFRED KINNEY has removed his Office and Residence to the Northwest corner of Alder and East Park streets, [illegible] house, where he can be found at any time.

The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING AUGUST 1 1876

THE FIRST STEP IN TILDEN'S REFORM

Among the woes in Mr Samuel J Tilden['s] [illegible] of the path with which almost every man who goes into national politics seems doomed to be lashed, White and Wilson reveals unpalatable truths. [illegible] a committee charged by the corrupt Democracy with the duty of searching for something that can be construed as evidence connecting the President with the whisky frauds another scene is being enacted in another part of the Capitol. In some quiet room unfrequented by the general mob negotiations are going on the object of which is to buy [illegible] a member of the finance committee so as to prevent a report from that committee and postpone action on the currency question till after the Presidential election. This is Mr Tilden's little game. He does not want to be beaten for President on a rag money record. He is bold enough to stare defeat in the face under any circumstances and it would be a far [illegible] bad to meet it in the attitude of [illegible] who has stultified himself and given the lie to all his past professions for the [illegible] compliment of being the losing candidate in a contest for the Presidency. This is too much for Mr Tilden. He has been placed in a sufficiently awkward predicament by the hermaphrodite platform adopted by his party at St Louis and the rag-baby tail which has been stuck on his Presidential kite and now to have the resumption clause of the act of January 1875 repealed, leaving the inflation clauses of it intact would be too much for the great incarnation of reform to bear. So he makes a bargain with Goode a Congressman who it is generally understood holds a seat which he is not entitled to in the House of Representatives—an out-and-out rag-money man—that the latter shall absent himself from the committee and thus prevent action at this session in consideration of his keeping his seat in Congress. He would do an excellent service to the country if he caused Mr Goode to vacate his place all the time, both in committee meetings and [illegible] House, but the bargain as tele[illegible]ed does no such credit to the model [illegible]er. It is just as corrupt as it would [illegible] instead of keeping Goode in his seat [illegible]s friends agreed to pay him a stated sum of money for his delinquency. This is a bad start for a reformer of Mr Tilden's rank. If he goes to huckstering among Congressmen thus early, it is hard to say to what extent the same thing would be carried in case he should get possession of the patronage of the Federal government. We have had enough of that sort of thing of late to last a long time. It is time for a rest.

WHAT THE CONFERENCE PEOPLE WILL DO

Our readers will recollect a conference of reform Republicans held at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, New York, shortly previous to the Cincinnati convention, to consult upon the political situation and discuss the question of what steps were necessary to be taken to secure better administration of the government. Prominent among the promoters of that conference and an active member of it, was the venerable William Cullen Bryant, editor of the *New York Evening Post*. Perhaps there is none among the Liberals who has been a more sturdy opposer of the peculiar government the country has had for the last few years than Mr Bryant. What he thinks of the situation since the tickets of the two parties have been presented, may be ascertained from his comments on Gov Hayes' letter of acceptance, which the *Post* brings to the test of the declaration of principles and purposes set forth in the address issued by the conference. After comparing the letter with the demands of the conference the *Post* says

"We must take men at their word and it is usually safe to do so when their word is explicit both as to ends and to means and when it is backed by a good reputation and a pure life. If Gov Hayes can be taken at his word *he will satisfy the demand of the voters for whom the New York Political Conference spoke*—the voters who care more for principles and persons than parties. *We believe that he will perform what he has promised not only because we believe him to be an honest man* but also because the circumstances in which he stands before the country furnish him with a peculiar incentive to perform it and with *rare facilities for doing so*."

And the *Tribune*, which commended the proceedings of the conference to the country in terms of unqualified approval, says

Gov Hayes' voice utters no uncertain sound. [illegible] utters a clear, manly and unequivocal declaration of principles which embody *the strongest desires of all honest and thinking American citizens*. The country has waited to hear from him something more distinct and assuring than the vague promise of the Cincinnati platform *and it will not be disappointed* * * * The resolutions relating to public schools and their release from all sectarian interference and control is emphatically approved * * * The great and pressing demands of the country are recognized in language which cannot be mistaken. *It is the [illegible] of an honest man, a true patriot, a sincere reformer speaking just what he means*. Since he has been nominated he has received many accessions of support from sources which might have been alienated, but Governor Hayes henceforth is his own best advocate.

And then comes the Springfield *Republican* edited by Mr Samuel Bowles and by great odds the most [illegible] of all the [illegible] administration papers with this comment

Gov Hayes letter accepting the Republican nomination is a great reform victory. It will [illegible] reconcile Reformers and Independents [illegible] his nomination and also to insure his election. He adds a new and probably [illegible] very best plank to the platform on [illegible] by pledging himself not [illegible] a candidate for re-election and he emphasizes and elaborates with incisive detail the [illegible] of civil service reform the re[illegible] currency the [illegible] the [illegible] white and black citizens [illegible] spoil system and he [illegible] the executive [illegible] stands [illegible] Mr [illegible] saw the [illegible] of the civil service [illegible] his power [illegible] to reforming [illegible] are sensible and complete. [illegible] letter is [illegible] conception and satisfactory in [illegible] on. It shows that he comprehends not [illegible] political but the party situation fully [illegible] ready to do everything in his power to [illegible] with

H[illegible] Valley is the best valley between [illegible] City and the Dalles. One man [illegible] hundred bushels of grain and [illegible] eat it except one pig and ten horses

THE TRANSPORTATION QUESTION

THE REMEDY PROPOSED BY [illegible]

ALBANY July 24 18[illegible]

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN

As indicated in a former article I desire to call attention to what seems to me the only practical solution of the problem of cheap transportation on the Willamette and Columbia rivers. Under existing circumstances so strong is the present monopoly successful and continued opposition to the corporation which controls these great natural highways is impossible. Even a healthy competition is impracticable. Assuming that this is conceded, as it certainly must be by every one who dispassionately examines the situation, we are led to the important question of a remedy for the existing evil. This is to be found in the purchase and control of the locks at Oregon City by the State. Then only can the highway from the interior to the ocean be deemed free.

It is not within the scope of this article to consider the question of how much it is expedient for the State to pay for the purpose of obtaining the control of the locks and opening up our rivers to free competition in the freighting business. The subject is now to be considered upon the supposition that the State is to pay for the locks in the event of its becoming a purchaser only such a price as may be ascertained upon full and careful inquiry, to be just and reasonable. The consideration of the propriety of the State's making such a purchase as that contemplated will be met at the very threshold with the objection that it will involve us in debt and necessitate additional and burdensome taxation.

Before accepting such an objection as an argument possessing merit it will be well to examine the matter in the light of past and present experience. The value of farming lands is always to be determined by what the land will produce to the acre and the cost of transporting that produce to market which means delivering it at the seaboard. It is a fact which has passed into history that upon the completion of the canal and locks and the starting of the Willamette Transportation Co's line of boats some three years since real estate in the valley counties rapidly appreciated in value, and so great was the stimulus to enterprise and activity in agricultural pursuits that the acreage sown in grain was almost double that of former years. The reasons are too obvious to need recounting. Subsequent to the construction of the locks and the building of the W T Co's boats and prior to their transfer of the O S N Co the average price for freighting grain from Albany to Portland was seven cents per bushel. Since the combination referred to, it is 14 cents per bushel. Linn county alone is said to have exported last year about 1½ million bushels of wheat. Assume those figures to be correct, and that the crop of this year will equal in amount that of last year. Then $105,000 was what it cost to market last year's crop; now it will cost the farmers of Linn county alone an additional sum of $105,000 to market a similar crop—which last sum is so much to be deducted from the value of the agricultural lands of that county. A large depreciation surely in the yearly rental values of the wheat lands of one county.

And what is true of this county is equally true of all the counties bordering on the Willamet river. Here there is an annual loss to one county of over $100,000 which is the direct result of the virtual shutting up of the gateway of the river. Linn county could far better afford to pay her proportion or double her proportion of the money which the State would have to pay for the purchase of the locks and canal than she can to submit to this loss on the profits of her crops and the consequent decline in the value of her real property.

It may be urged that the farmers can combine and thereby create and support an opposition line. I have already suggested some reasons why such an enterprise cannot succeed. Farmers are not steamboat men and universal experience has demonstrated the wisdom of every man's confining his attention to that pursuit which he best understands. The whole division of labor in organized society is based upon this fundamental principle in Political Economy. Besides for another reason opposition, or even competition under the present state of affairs is impossible. It has been conceded that the monopoly may, under one pretext and another, shut up their locks for such a length of time as to render them valueless for the purposes for which they were constructed, the opening of the river. The company owning the basin at Oregon City can do their freighting at the increased rates by using two lines of boats as did the P T Company while their resources enable them to run off any other line which the farmers might start, entailing upon the latter a double loss. But once open the river by the State doing what she should have done at the outset owning the locks, and every man who owns a steamboat or scow can compete for freighting business and a new era of prosperity for the producers will be inaugurated.

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FIRST EXPEDITION OF 1876 TO MOUNT HOOD.

A correspondent writing under date of July 31st from Oswego says

July 19th there left Oswego in two express wagons bound for Mount Hood a party of nine men, consisting of Albert George and Adam Walling also Ed Wright from Walling's nursery, L B Seely, L W Crichton, G W Prosser and A Barrett from Oswego. The Titus Andronicus one of Oregon's famous cooks accompanied us as chief steward. The first night we camped on Cedar creek. We found the guide boards gave the distances very irregularly. The newly elected county commissioner informed us that it was 1 miles to Revenue's instead of 7 miles as the guide board indicated. One of the party remarked that the guide boards in that part of Clackamas county were a condemned lot bought up at auction. We found the roads in a good state of repair. The second day crossed Sandy bridge where the Cascade road and bridge company's road begins, crossed the Devil's backbone and camped on Zigzag creek that night. The third day we went up Laurel hill, passed the old emigrant road where the trees still bear the marks of ropes by which the wagons were let down the hill. We all concluded that the first settlers of Oregon had faith greater than Abraham of old.

We turned off on the road leading to the mountain, found it blockaded with dead trees, cleared it out for a quarter of a mile and then camped on the side of a stream. G W Prosser and Geo Walling went out and in half an hour killed a buck elk four years old weighing when dressed 500 lbs. We carried him into camp and jerked the meat. The next day we started to ascend Mount Hood. We had two miles to walk through dead timber, two miles through green timber. The snow in the green timber not yet melted made it difficult walking. We climbed the mountain on the southwest side on the snow. When about halfway up one of the party mistaking the distance slid over a snow precipice about 100 feet, just missing a yawning chasm below him. He and three more of the party returned, leaving four of us to climb amongst the regions of eternal snows. We got above the crater within 100 feet of the top peak but found large cracks in the snow we could not cross. Hot sulphur smoke was issuing from the crater. We had a splendid view of the surrounding country. The air was so raw it was with difficulty we could get our breath. The glare of the sun on the snow sunburnt our faces till the skin peeled off. The splendid scenery, high rock precipices [illegible] of Mt Hood cannot be described [illegible] to be seen to be realized. We commenced the descent at [illegible] G W [illegible] and the forming [illegible] crust on the snow making it dangerous walking. We came down [illegible] Mr Moore's who live the [illegible] just below [illegible] His father [illegible] last year [illegible] Mr Moore [illegible] kill his [illegible] bear hunting [illegible] the [illegible] and [illegible] it was late we returned to camp [illegible] the [illegible] the [illegible] raspberries [illegible] had all we could eat [illegible] still [illegible] high [illegible] We hope to hear from the next party attempting to ascend to the top [illegible] of Mt Hood.

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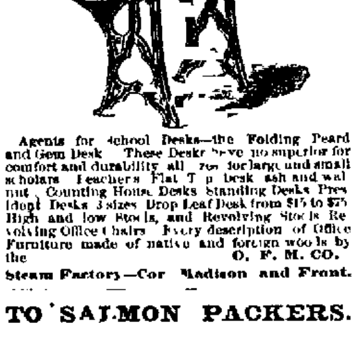

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The Daily Oregon[illegible]

TUESDAY MORNING, AUGUST [illegible]

CITY [illegible]

THE NEW STEAM TUG—Work on [illegible] Holman and [illegible] man's new steam tug [illegible] pushed vigorously forward, and [illegible] probably be finished during the prese[illegible] Mr J F Steffen is the contractor an[illegible] [illegible] finish the work throug[illegible] [illegible] The dimensions [illegible] are as follows. Length [illegible] feet beam, 23 fee[illegible] keel [illegible] The frame is ver[illegible] feet 4 inches. [illegible] made as staunch as the larg[illegible] and [illegible] in service on th[illegible] north. The timber used was all selected of [illegible] best to be had. The stern post and s[illegible] solid oak. The very best locust tree[illegible] used throughout in all fastenings. [illegible] water line galvanized iron bolts we[illegible] The floor timber is 16 inches thick [illegible] under the machinery it is double [illegible] [illegible] feet in diameter. The boil[illegible] peller is [illegible] and independently, s[illegible] [illegible] separate [illegible] one is disabled the other can be u[illegible] can be used together. There is to be [illegible] cylinder vertical direct acting, of [illegible] diameter and 20 inch stroke—the onl[illegible] one in service north of San Franc[illegible] [illegible] are very compact and occupy less ro[illegible] any in service here. The propeller [illegible] cast at the Oregon Iron Works th[illegible] when it together with the shaft wil[illegible] in place and the vessel launched an[illegible] over to the Oregon Iron Works a[illegible] where the remainder of the machin[illegible] be put in.

ARRIVED.—The following is th[illegible] arrivals at [illegible] from July 20th to [illegible] from Portland: H. Crum, B. Z. E[illegible] R. England, D W Wakefield, E. C[illegible] [illegible] Jacob Kahn, C. Abrams, [illegible] Mrs J Oppenheimer and two [illegible] child, Mrs Dobson, Mrs. Myers, three chil[illegible] nurse, Mrs E Friedman, Mrs. Rud[illegible] daughter, Misses Carolina and A[illegible] penheimer, Mrs J D Holman, Mis[illegible] Fred Holman, George Hol[illegible] Lovejoy Oregon City; Mrs. Bec[illegible]

[illegible] OF [illegible] are only six prisoners confined in t[illegible] jail. Three of that number are [illegible] county, the smallest number at any [illegible] which has been known to be [illegible] last ten years), one [illegible] petty larceny and two [illegible] There is one pri[illegible] held to answer, and two United [illegible]

WEATHER REPORT.—F[illegible] the rec[illegible] U S Signal Station of O[illegible] Oregon July 31, 1876.

NUMBER OF ARRESTS.—During [illegible] just passed the following arrests [illegible] made by the police: A[illegible] ult and [illegible] vagrancy, 2, larceny, 5; drunk and [illegible] abusive language, 7; [illegible] an officer, 1, [illegible] 1; carryi[illegible] ealed weapon, 1, [illegible] and [illegible] jury to personal property, 1.

EUGENE ITEMS.

Under date of July 30th, our Eu[illegible] correspondent sends the following:

Two of our [illegible] of their fishing [illegible] to bring in a load [illegible] with [illegible] club.

Business has been [illegible] up [illegible] week farmers [illegible] for har[illegible] is near at hand [illegible] this season on [illegible] the extreme hot [illegible]

Our base ball club [illegible] yesterday and are in fine [illegible] seriously thinking of striving for [illegible] the diamond [illegible] They are a good club, and we ho[illegible] put in an [illegible] the people [illegible] can [illegible] Eugene on Saturday [illegible] the fire. The roof of a [illegible] was black with sm[illegible] from the chimney of [illegible] prompt attention of the [illegible] large portion of the town would pro[illegible] been consumed, as the [illegible] was q[illegible] the time.

BRIEF MENTION.

Regular [illegible] Garden this evening

Last appearance of the [illegible] to-morrow evening.

The August term of the [illegible] not convene until next Monday.

Gov Grover has [illegible] Wakefield a [illegible] for [illegible] county

W K Lever, Dr Bradley [illegible] S G Skidmore are [illegible] board the steamer John L [illegible] this evening from San F[illegible]

Rev R Bentley has gone to [illegible] He will preach the funeral ser[illegible] Jeffries at Clatsop [illegible] Sund[illegible] 6th of August, and expects to [illegible] city on the 7th.

POLICE COURT [illegible]

Michael Cunningham [illegible] charge of assault and [illegible] committed to the county jail [illegible]

Michael Raney was committ[illegible] five days on a charge of [illegible] conducting hi[illegible] in default of payment.

An individual, a stra[illegible] in a [illegible] giving his name as McDonald, [illegible] on a charge of drunk[illegible] plea of guilty and was [illegible] two days

THE COURTS.

U S CIRCUIT COURT. [illegible] MONDAY, J[illegible]

Mattie Chapman et al vs T[illegible] decree allowing injunction [illegible] complaint, and the defend[illegible] weeks after the compl[illegible] amended complaint to answer [illegible]

W W Page vs Jos. W. Tru[illegible] for plaintiff in the sum of $100 [illegible]

Corbitt & Macleay vs Milton [illegible] der dismissing cause on plainti[illegible]

Court adjourned to Saturda[illegible] o'clock A M

BUSINESS NOTIC[illegible]

Messrs Atkinson & Wakefiel[illegible] vertisement this morning of [illegible] who wish to purchase [illegible] wealth can be gained by [illegible] fully as [illegible] by nature. A be[illegible] is a rare thing to have and [illegible] keep.

Go to Beck & Waldman's

South [illegible] the leading Fashion [illegible] wish their subscriptions renew[illegible] mence will please hand $1 be[illegible] ust to Alex Warner

By all means call on Fishel [illegible] day. Something to show you

Dost thou [illegible] If thou do[illegible] Central Market

[illegible] made happy b[illegible] to [illegible] for cloth[illegible]

[illegible] with Spain [illegible] take [illegible] say witho[illegible] waited upo[illegible]

[illegible] supply of the [illegible] arrived per [illegible]

[illegible] is over [illegible] the city fo[illegible] amusements [illegible] cl[illegible] highly [illegible] be treated [illegible]

[illegible] are used [illegible] Tubes [illegible] City Floral Park [illegible] now

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harf and Street Lumber,

[illegible] satisfaction [illegible] patronage is [illegible]

[illegible] to the late firm of ABRAMS [illegible] quested to make payment [illegible] day of September [illegible] [illegible] the hands of an attorney [illegible] our books [illegible]

[illegible] the firm [illegible] at the [illegible] of H A [illegible] W R ABRAMS [illegible] authorized to sign the firm name in [illegible]

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The Daily Oregonian.

TUESDAY MORNING AUGUST 1 1876.

CITY.

The New Steam [illegible] Wyss on Caples [illegible] is being [illegible] forward and he will [illegible] the present week [illegible] J F Steffen [illegible] The dimensions of the [illegible] over all [illegible] feet [illegible] The frame is very strong [illegible] to the Wyss [illegible] The [illegible] is about [illegible] feet below the [illegible] was [illegible] can be used or both [illegible] the only tug on [illegible] of San Francisco. They [illegible] The propeller is to be [illegible] the Oregon Iron Works this week [illegible] together with the shaft will be put [illegible] and the vessel [illegible] at the Oregon Iron Works at Albina [illegible] will

ARRIVALS. The following is the list of [illegible] from July 28th to 29th [illegible] Portland [illegible] H Crum B Z Holmes [illegible] D W Wakefield [illegible] Crum [illegible] with and [illegible] Mrs [illegible] Oppenheimer and two children [illegible] Mrs Myers three children and [illegible] Friedman Mrs [illegible] and [illegible] Miss [illegible] and Augusta Oppenheimer Mrs [illegible] Holman Miss Holman [illegible] Fred Holman George Holman Miss An[illegible] Oregon City Mrs Bergman As

[illegible] OF PRISONERS.—At present there [illegible] prisoners confined in the county [illegible] Three of that number are from this [illegible] the smallest number at any one time [illegible] has been known to be confined for the [illegible] ten years [illegible] serving out a term for [illegible] larcenies and two for assault and battery [illegible] is one prisoner from Clatsop county [illegible] to answer and two United States prisoners.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the [illegible] Signal Station of Observation Portland [illegible]

	A M	2 P M	9 P M
[illegible]meter	60°	[illegible]	6[illegible]
Wind direction	Calm	S	N
Wind velocity	[illegible]	10	3
[illegible]	Cloudy	Clear	Clear

REPORT OF ARRESTS.—During the month [illegible] the following arrests have been made by [illegible] Assault and battery 10 [illegible] 2 larceny 5 drunk and disorderly [illegible] abusive language 7 falsely personat[illegible] [illegible] insane 1 carrying a concealed weapon 1 malicious and wanton injury to personal property 1

EUGENE ITEMS.

[illegible] our Eugene correspondent sends the following

[illegible] young men having long talked [illegible] started out Saturday [illegible] returned with one small [illegible]

[illegible] has been looking up for the past [illegible] farmers preparing for harvest which [illegible] at hand is the cause. Some fears are [illegible] that the grain crop will be light [illegible] on account of late sowing and the extreme hot weather

The base ball club played a practice game [illegible] and are in fine condition they are [illegible] thinking of striving for honors in [illegible] diamond field at our next State Fair [illegible] are a good club and we hope they will [illegible] an appearance about fair time and [illegible] the people what they can do

[illegible] on Saturday narrowly escaped a [illegible] The roof of a house adjoining [illegible] blacksmith shop caught fire from sparks [illegible] of the shop and but for the [illegible] of the gallant fire boys a [illegible] the town would probably have [illegible] as the wind was quite high at [illegible] time

BRIEF NOTES.

[illegible] German Art Society [illegible]

Last appearance of the [illegible] company to-morrow evening

The [illegible] session of the county court will convene [illegible] next Monday.

Gov Grover has commissioned D W [illegible] Notary Public for Multnomah county

W K [illegible] Dr Sydney Parker and [illegible] are among the passengers on the steamer *Idaho* [illegible] for San Francisco

[illegible] has gone to the seaside [illegible] preach the funeral sermon of Mr [illegible] Clatsop beach on Sunday next the [illegible] of August [illegible] expects to return to the city on [illegible]

POLICE COURT NOTES.

Michael Cunningham plead guilty to a charge of assault and battery and was committed to the city jail for ten days

Michael [illegible] was committed to jail for five days on a charge of being intoxicated and conducting himself in a disorderly manner in default of payment

An individual a stranger in a strange land giving his name as McDonald was arraigned on a charge of drunkenness. He entered a plea of guilty and was committed to jail for two days

THE COURTS.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT—DEADY J

MONDAY July 31 1876

Mathias Chapman et al vs F A Long et al, decree allowing injunction as prayed for in complaint and the defendants have three weeks after the complainants file copy of amended complaint to answer the same

W W Page vs [illegible] W [illegible] judgment for plaintiff [illegible] of $801

Corbitt & Macleay vs Milton Shannon [illegible] demurring [illegible] complaint [illegible]

Court adjourned to Saturday next at 10 o'clock A M

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Messrs [illegible] & Wakefield [illegible] interest to those who wish to purchase a splendid farm [illegible] A better dairy farm [illegible] and a good thing to keep

Go to Peck & Wellman

[illegible] who wish the [illegible] [illegible] to New York [illegible]

By [illegible] day [illegible]

Dont [illegible] Central [illegible]

Another [illegible] to Fisher [illegible]

[illegible]

A Beer [illegible]

The [illegible]

Alth[illegible] the [illegible] der [illegible] how [illegible]

AMUSEMENTS.

New Market Theater was densely crowded last night. Not a seat in parquette dress circle or gallery was vacant when the curtain rose and Prof. Baldwin stepped upon the stage and in a few words introduced himself to the audience, impressing them very favorably by his manner. He was applauded from the first and kept his earnest request that [illegible] [illegible] He stated in the first that [illegible] [illegible] manifestations and [illegible] explain [illegible] also that what [illegible] the first performance [illegible] his entertainment. His first experiment [illegible] was [illegible] [illegible] the [illegible] of paper which [illegible] [illegible] He [illegible] a few seconds the paper [illegible] consumed. This is purely a chemical experiment [illegible] upon the paper just before it is to be used and the effect of the combination of the ingredients of this substance being to produce flame within a prescribed time. After this trick and explanation a committee of four gentlemen were chosen from the audience to come upon the stage and see that the performer did everything in the manner represented. Judge Deady and Drs [illegible] were selected as such committee and took their seats upon the stage. They were first requested to taste of the contents of a pitcher and all pronounced it water. The professor then handed each of the committee a glass and poured out of the pitcher into the glasses such liquors or at least a liquid of the color of the liquor called for by them respectively. The exposition of this was that he had coloring matter fastened to his fingers with gum and as he poured the water from the pitcher into the glass a portion of the coloring matter was dropped in with it. Prof. Baldwin and his assistant Mr Garrison were then securely tied by the committee in a cabinet and the door closed when immediately hands were shown, bells rung horns blown etc in such a way that it seemed impossible for the parties who were inside the cabinet to have been the agents of the manifestations. At a signal the cabinet door was opened and the two men were found as securely tied as ever in just the position in which the committee had left them. This was repeated once or twice and at a given signal the doors were opened and the men came out loose. How all this was done the audience is still in the dark but those who attend this evening are promised that all will be fully explained. The performer then entered the cabinet, which was closed and in one minute by the watch, without anybody untying his hands arms, legs and feet with ropes so that he was apparently unable to move and when the doors were opened the committee pronounced him tied extremely tight and yet when the door was again closed the same manifestations were again given and he untied himself in 15 seconds before which he had put on a coat left in the cabinet without breaking the wax with which the knots in the rope had been sealed. Handcuffs were placed on his wrists and closely locked, he offering any one in the audience $50 who would put them on as he had and take them off without breaking or unlocking them and yet in a few seconds he came out of the cabinet with his hands free though Policeman Hamilton sat on the front of the stage, and held the key to them all the time. Mrs Baldwin was put into a mesmeric state or a trance as the spiritualists call it and answered various questions written on pieces of paper by different persons in the audience the writer not showing the question until the answer had been given. She was also tied in the cabinet by the committee, who certainly thought she would be unable to move but in a few seconds hands and faces were shown bells were rung etc, as before by some agency in the cabinet. While thus tied she also gave the famous Katie King test walking out at the cabinet door in plain view of the audience, dressed in a flowing white garment such as we suppose spirits usually wear, though the lady herself when tied by the committee, was arrayed in a plain black suit. As the supposed materialized spirit of Katie King entered the cabinet the doors were closed but in another instant were re-opened and Mrs Baldwin was found tied just as the committee had left her the Professor offering a reward of $50 if any one tied as she was could move one inch from the wall of the cabinet or untie themselves without help. This with many other parts of the entertainment was truly wonderful and we are not so much surprised after seeing these things that people believe in modern spiritualism for the tests were really as perfect as any medium could give them and seemed beyond the agency of unaided humanity but we are assured that these things will all be made as plain as day this evening and those who attend will actually be as much surprised at the simplicity of the explanation as they were at the marvelous performance itself. Those who have seen him in both say the exposé is as perfect and convincing as demonstration itself. What was done last evening inside the cabinet with the footlights down will be done in full view of the audience to-night and with full [illegible] This evening is the last entertainment Mr Baldwin will give in Portland as he will go south by rail [illegible] give the people in the valley towns an opportunity to see him and judge for themselves. He has fully justified the expectations of the people here and we doubt not will further entertain and astonish them this evening. The real exposure of these various supposed acts of spirits will be given in full to-night and the house will probably be well filled again.

VANCOUVER ITEMS.

Under date of July 31st our regular correspondent sends the following

A very large supply of wood is now on hand in this place

Hay in the bulk is selling for $10 per ton in this market

Mrs [illegible] has returned from the [illegible] accompanied by her brother

Mrs Baker who has been a resident of this place for a short time is quite ill

Mr D Marsh member of the city council is talking of a trip to Puget Sound

The Vancouver Hotel is in good running order again as the waters have receded

The present is said to be a lively time for the clerks in the quartermaster department

It is said that there has been quite a number of additions to the Good Templars lodge in this place recently

Mr [illegible] Slocum is improving his block in this [illegible] and is now putting up [illegible]

We heard a farmer [illegible] last Saturday that part [illegible] grain crop would [illegible] 40 bushels of wheat per acre

What we want [illegible] this part of [illegible] more people [illegible] our land [illegible]

[illegible]

FROM HILLSBORO

Under date of July 31 our correspondent [illegible] sends us these items from Hillsboro

[illegible] in the [illegible] districts

[illegible] prospering and everything O K

[illegible]

Crops [illegible] the coast [illegible]

A [illegible] that W S [illegible] has [illegible] [illegible] to Albany [illegible] the office

We [illegible] that [illegible] Charles [illegible] next Monday

Mr H[illegible] entertained [illegible] young friends from Portland [illegible] [illegible] the State

About the evening there was a runaway which came near proving a serious affair. By some means a horse [illegible] owned by [illegible] Mr Anderson became frightened and ran away tearing up their [illegible] running against a fence. Mr Anderson wife and [illegible] were in the buggy at the time the horses started [illegible] Mr Anderson [illegible] sprang from the vehicle the mother holding her child and they escaped with bruises and scratches which though painful are not dangerous. Young [illegible] held the lines until the team was stopped and the shock of the stoppage threw him to the ground causing a bad cut on the forehead which however will heal before many days. It is only a wonder [illegible] was seriously hurt at the time

A very profitable campmeeting is in session in the grove near this place. Mr Campbell of Monmouth delivered a sermon to a large congregation this morning. His words were weighty with wisdom. He proved by numerous instances illustrating his text that no one could be truly happy while aspiring to occupy the sphere of another [illegible] the work laid out for some one else. Numerous campers were present who expect to remain until the meetings close. This afternoon another sermon was preached after which several persons were baptized by ministers present. A number of persons from your city were present. There was a little shower of rain this forenoon but that did not deter many from being present at the services

Two persons from Portland came out to sell eatables ice cream soda water etc and to occupy a stand inside the grounds but they were not permitted to do so by the authorities and consequently returned to your city with no diminution in their stock of goods or cash receipts for sales

BRITISH COLUMBIA

The bark *Lizzie Gray* from England has gone to Burrard Inlet to load lumber

The German brig *North Star* arrived at Victoria on the 26th from Honolulu having been 21 days out. The bark *Columbia* is due from the same port

Archibald McKinlay Esq of Lac la Hache has been appointed Indian commissioner by the Provincial government

Mr Cambie of the Canadian Pacific Railway survey, arrived at Quesnelle a few days since, having made the trip from the sea board at Dean canal successfully

The sculling match between John Cotsford and Alexander McLean for $250 a side took place on the 24 and was witnessed by the largest concourse of spectators ever gathered together in Victoria on any similar occasion. Cotsford won easily rowing the distance of 2½ miles in 19 min 10 sec

Mr Richard Hoey of Lillooet recently left the upper country with a lunatic in charge destined for the asylum in Victoria and whilst Mr Hoey was taking a meal at a house on the road between Lillooet and Lytton, the lunatic escaped the vigilance of those near him and rushed towards Fraser river plunged into the swift current and was drowned.

On Saturday last a man was discovered by the Victoria police in a dilapidated shanty in a most helpless condition and was taken in charge for safe keeping. He states that the last thing he remembers is a very festive celebration of the "glorious Fourth" since which time he has been wrapped in oblivion and no agent alike [illegible] and drink. He was rather more blasé than [illegible]

Mr [illegible] M Donald commissary attached to Gamsby's party now surveying the railway route along the banks of the Homathco river arrived in Victoria last week direct from the party [illegible]

HAIR RESTORED.

If any who are skeptical of the ability of Mrs S [illegible] to produce a crop of new hair on all stages of baldness will call or write to her at her rooms in [illegible] building, Portland, she will refer them to several prominent Portland gentlemen who three months since placed themselves under her treatment and are now in possession of a crop of new fine hair which is rapidly increasing in strength and vigor. Itching of the scalp and falling hair checked readily. Preparations sent to all parts of Oregon and Washington

Peck & Wellman want cows [illegible]

One of the coolest spots in town is the [illegible] where Peter Wichelm holds forth. He keeps the best liquors and cigars, and Weinhard's best beer. His billiard tables are excellent and the [illegible] continues [illegible]

The demand for Mrs Pobrer's New Remedy for the lungs is still increasing rapidly [illegible]

CORNS AND BUNIONS

Dr Hay [illegible]

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[illegible]

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[illegible] STREET.

MRS DR R Y OWENS,

[illegible]

Medicated Vapor Baths [illegible]

THE KITTITASS VALLEY.

Among the favorable localities in which immigrants to the northwest coast can find good places to make homes and one of which little has hitherto been said in the public prints is the Kittitass valley in Washington Territory [illegible] of the Yakima river [illegible] and about forty five miles from where it empties into the Columbia. Mr [illegible] the postmaster [illegible] in that valley gave [illegible] [illegible] this week [illegible] from him we learn that [illegible] the work [illegible] from the valley to Priest Rapids [illegible] with the water. The [illegible] thirty miles in length [illegible] the road from Walla Walla [illegible] two miles. As soon as the [illegible] sufficient freight will [illegible] to points [illegible] steamer [illegible] Rapids and Mr Olmstead is assured by the O S N Co that when the freight [illegible] Hitherto the entire business of the valley [illegible] Dalles [illegible] [illegible] agriculture [illegible] and vegetables. The small grains yield abundantly and Mr Olmstead informs us that he [illegible] the Territory or in Oregon [illegible] Wheat and oats produce abundantly with [illegible] which is not the case with [illegible] the mountains

KITTITASS VALLEY PROPER

Is very considerably long and varies in width [illegible] and [illegible] well watered [illegible] streams which run through it not more than four or five miles apart, rendering irrigation comparatively easy and cheap when actually necessary. There are now about 150 or 200 settlers in the valley with good claims for at least a thousand more. The land is fertile prairies with an abundance of good timber along the streams and on the mountains adjacent. There are now in the valley schools for the accommodation of the children of all the settlers. Two postoffices, two stores, two sawmills and one grist mill, with another in process of construction. Kittitass postoffice in the heart of the valley is 40 miles from the mouth of Snake river, [illegible] miles from The Dalles and about the same distance from Umatilla. The mail goes into the valley from Umatilla and the people look forward to its arrival with a good deal of eagerness

THE CLIMATE

The climate is much like that of the Walla Walla country though winter before last the mercury never went as low as at Walla Walla nor is it generally so warm in the summer. The snow does not fall so deep as in Klikitat valley nor does it ever drift as in most other places on the East side of the Cascade mountains. Cattle and horses usually live through the winter and often thrive otherwise come through in good condition though the stock raisers generally provide feed and often use it when the snow is deep. The valley is claimed to be as healthy a locality as can be found on the coast and everybody else can do better there than the doctors

The principal business of the people yet is raising cattle to the Puget Sound Portland and Victoria markets and an average of 200 head per month are driven out to supply the demand. There are no cultivated farms or comfortable houses ready furnished for the immigrants but the timber and soil out of which those things are made await him and he who with honest purpose and patience is willing to toil for these comforts can enjoy a reasonable hope of securing them. The country is not without its drawbacks but it certainly possesses many advantages. We may have more to say about it at no distant day. Mr Olmstead who is an enterprising gentleman is working to induce a portion of the immigration to the coast to examine it at least before settling permanently elsewhere and he has promised us further information concerning it when he reaches home

THE TERRITORIES

A theater after the melodeon order was opened in Seattle last week and the house is said to have taken in $1 000 the first evening

The *Tribune* says The work of grading the streets of Olympia still progresses every [illegible] being done until to knowledge [illegible] they are much the best thorough fares afforded by any town of less than 5 000 people on this upper coast

The rowing [illegible] of Hanson Ackerson & Co of Tacoma was to have been launched at San Francisco on the evening of the 26th. The [illegible] the *Tacoma* and she is spoken of by the press of that city as one of the finest and most powerful tugs in the United States

The common council at Seattle elected W A [illegible] D P Jenkins city attorney [illegible] treasurer [illegible] assessor [illegible]

[illegible]

The [illegible] the railroad [illegible] of the company [illegible] payment of taxes assessed against the company by the authorities of the county. It is claimed by the company that the railroad is exempt [illegible] by a special provision in their charter and their lands are not taxable because the United States hold the legal and equitable title to the same until the cost of surveying and locating said lands is paid by the company

What can be Cured

Need not be endured [illegible]

Colds and Coughs, Sudden Changes of [illegible]

[illegible]

FARMING ITEMS

The *Mercury* says wheat in Polk county is ready for the reaper and will yield largely

A splendid rain fell in Baker county last week and did a great deal of good to the growing crops

A good [illegible] 000 pounds of wool at the farmers' warehouse Albany, sold a few days since at [illegible] cents per pound

On Saturday [illegible] Longmire was elected by the Masters of Granges in Thurston Co W T as delegate to the Oregon State Grange

This week Mr [illegible] Cooper of Roberts creek in Douglas county sold one thousand head of sheep to Mr S W Parker the price [illegible]

Hon H G Brown of Douglas county is on the way [illegible] with 2 000 head of sheep which he will place on a range of his brother. He goes by way of the Military Road

The farmers on the Walla Walla river and toward Umatilla county are ready to mount [illegible] with rabbits. They eat off heads short [illegible]

The Albany *Register* says Farmers tell us that without a [illegible] the crop will be short [illegible] the general crop will be an average one

[illegible] of oats [illegible] Express Ranch Baker county [illegible] with [illegible] the wheat is heavily headed with large plump heads and the timothy heads measure from seven to nine inches in length

The *Democrat* says In all parts of Benton county the hum of the harvester may be heard and our farmers are busily engaged in securing their crops of early grain. A portion of the very latest sown grain will be rather short but the prospect is that the heads will be well filled. The crops of this county promise to be larger than the average and from present indications will be saved in good shape

J W Richardson James Ware J H Davis and J F Callihan, who sheared Mr John Southwell's sheep in Wasco county a short time ago have sent us a certificate giving the amount of wool that was taken from the backs of some of Southwell's bucks which is as follows Two bucks sheared twenty seven pounds each one nineteen and three quarters one seventeen and a half one sixteen and a half and many from thirteen to fifteen pounds. Mr Southwell realized 10 000 pounds of wool from 1 300 head of sheep making an average of nearly 8 pounds per head

On Sunday [illegible] inst while a son of Mr A J Keeney and Mr C W Brown were riding home from Eugene Mr Brown, who was leading Mr Keeney's horse by the halter was pulled off and in falling, broke his left arm above the elbow. Dr C Weber was called and set the broken limb and at last accounts the patient was doing well

You must cultivate [illegible] character [illegible] father [illegible] son [illegible] when the father told the son to [illegible] the boy said No with an emphasis that showed a remembrance of the lesson

All this week the reapers are busy throughout the valley and thousands of acres of grain will be in the shock by Saturday night

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Der queerest schap, der createst rogue
As efer you dit see.
He runs, und schumps, und schmashes dings
In all barts off der house,
But vot off dot? he vas mine son,
Mine leedle Yawcob Strauss.

He got der measles und der mumbs,
Und eferyding dot's out,
He sbills mine glass of lager bier,
Poots schnuff into mine kraut;
He fills mine pipe mit Limburg scheese—
Dot vas der roughest chouse;
I'd dake dot vrom no oder poy
But leedle Yawcob Strauss.

He dakes der milk ban for a dhrum,
Und cuts mine cane in dwo
To make der schticks to beat it mit—
Mine gracious dot vas drue!
I dinks mine head vas schplit abart,
He kicks oup sooch a touse;
But nefer mind, der poys vas few
Like dot young Yawcob Strauss.

He asks me questions sooch as dese:
Who paints mine nose so red?
Who vas it cuts dot schmoodth blace oudt
Vrom the hair ubon mine hed?
Und vhere der plaze goes vrom der lamp
Vene'er der glim I douse—
How gan I all dese dings eggsblain
To dot schmall Yawcob Strauss?

I somedimes dink I schall go vild
Mith sooch a grazy poy,
Und vish vonce more I gould haf rest
Und beaceful dimes enshoy;
But ven he vas ashleep in ped,
So quiet as a mouse,
I prays der Lord, "dake anydings,
But leaf dot Yawcob Strauss."

—*Hartford Times.*

ONE OF THE VICTIMS OF THE UMATILLA EXPLOSION.

A DUTY BETTER PERFORMED LATE THAN NEVER.

COLUMBUS, KLICKITAT CO.,
W. T., July 21, 1876.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

On the 14th day of last April some Indians found the body of a white man in the Columbia river floating near the shore of what is known as the "Cummings' Flat," in Klickitat county, W. T., nearly opposite the mouth of "John Day's river," and on the following day Justice Bunnell, acting coroner, held an inquest on the body with the following results, as near as my memory serves: Age, not far from 30 years; height, about 5 feet 8 inches; complexion, rather light; hair, short cut, medium fine, rather of a dark auburn color, and entirely worn or washed from the top of the head, rendering it bald. Teeth, good, the two upper front ones pretty large and prominent, with no taint of tobacco discernible; general form of body and limbs round and full, with a full and well-developed forehead. On the breast were four cupping scars, made by a 12 knife cupping instrument, each scar forming a corner of an oblong square extending horizontally across the breast. Description of dress: Overshirt, dark cotton duck, such as is generally worn for pants; undershirt, home-made, of check wool or flannel, such as is generally worn for overshirts; vest, of a kind of steel-colored material; overalls, same material as overshirt, with a linen trade card on the back bearing the name of Roberts, or Robins, and the rest unintelligible; pants, cassimere; drawers, cotton flannel; boots, about No. 8 and but little worn, almost new; socks, home-made, knit woolen.

The jury expressed their belief that the deceased was one of the unfortunate victims of the "Umatilla explosion," which occurred early in March. The bridge of the nose was [illegible], and the red, congested appearance of the front of the body seemed to indicate the effects of a sudden shock. There was a portion of a time-table, kept during a part of November and December, 1875, on a letter envelope, a card almanac or calendar, some screws and trinkets found in the pocket.

This, Mr. Editor, is about as correct a description as I can readily give from memory, but I would if possible be still more explicit in order that the friends of the deceased may be better able to identify the body after this long and shameful neglect to publish the fate of the poor unfortunate and apparently friendless laborer. I say shameful because no ordinary ex[illegible] can soothe my conscience, or justify me in withholding from an interested public news of perhaps vital interest to some poor mourning hearts, or for my neglect to the dead as well as the living, by failing to speak for the poor helpless tongue that lies forever silent in the solitary grave. It was the tongue of a fellow-laborer and he was my brother in the [illegible] and honored family, and I am proud to say it, though sorry for his fate. I write this because the belief is prevalent among a portion of the people, and freely expressed, that for some unknown, though surmised, reason, an effort has been made by interested parties to suppress all news, or public information, concerning the Umatilla explosion and its victims; a suspicion almost too horrible to entertain for an instant; and yet may there not be some reason for suspicion since the *Mountaineer* failed to publish the report of the coroner's jury, mailed at The Dalles to that office a day or two after it was made? It is possible they failed to receive it. The careless often suspicion without cause, while the thoughtful seek to discern motives, and surely there is no sufficient reason why the contractors should smother information concerning the dead.

I have now done what I believe to be my duty, though a disinterested party comparatively, and I trust, Mr. Editor, that you will do yours by publishing this letter in the interest of humanity. The body was buried on Cumming's Flat, near where found. Should this notice attract the attention of anxious friends who seek further information, I will cheerfully answer questions through the OREGONIAN, with your permission. This was not the body of Hathaway as given in to the county court of this county by the coroner, through mistake no doubt. And now, hoping you will, when convenient, publish this letter, I subscribe myself the

LIVING FRIEND OF THE DEAD.

OUR STATE FAIR.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

This annual *gala* of the people of Oregon is again drawing near. It has a significance and bearing upon our general interests far beyond what many seem to consider it. It is true that in a social point of view it is agreeable and cheerful to our people. There old friends meet and young folks form pleasant acquaintances and spend a week together. Many strangers, who came here on the same cars and ships and became separated over the country, meet here and recount to each other their ups and downs, what they have seen that was agreeable and what disagreeable. But the great end and aim of those annual gatherings should be to present to view the products, the industries and specimens of the vast and varied resources of our highly favored country. Our cereals are a wonder to the world. Up to this day very many persons in the States actually seem to believe that we put our wheat through some strange manipulation by which it seems clarified, swelled, and so remains. Our big red apples and our fruit in general are not swelled by any artificial means, and yet the world cannot excel them. The articles from Oregon now on exhibition at Philadelphia are the wonder and admiration of the spectators there. If the people east of the South Pass wish to satisfy themselves as to our products, let them send a committee of ten thousand of the shrewdest and best of their citizens to our State Fair of 1876, and thoroughly examine everything on exhibition, and report to their readers. Multitudes of strangers will be there, newly arrived.

The fame of Oregon is extending widely, and no longer can our adversaries palm off their artful stories about us successfully. If our products and manufactured articles on exhibition at our former State Fairs have been so good, then let them be more so in 1876. I will venture to assert, that what is on exhibition from Oregon, in Philadelphia, under our irrepressible commissioner Hon. A. J. Dufur, will do more good for the cause of inducing immigrants to come here than all the printed matter from here sent abroad. I hope that our fair ones will vie with each other in exhibiting their floral and skillful articles at our next fair.

It will redound greatly to our credit if all our manufacturing citizens will bring forward specimens of their work for general exhibition there. Our pastures are so fine this year that stock of all kinds here will appear in fine condition. Well may we be proud of such horses as those of Mr. W. Collver's. And for swine, cattle, sheep and goats, where can they be excelled?

Then let our aim be to bring up to the Fair many and varied articles of the very best, and let strangers see for themselves. But, above all things, let us all show to strangers there, and to each other of us, kindness, courtesy and true politeness. It is to be hoped that all managers, marshals and others concerned in conducting the Fair will exclude dram drinking and gaming of all kinds from the Fair grounds.

In a country where the nice school houses dot our beautiful hills and valleys, and where church steeples kiss the fine skies, there the worship of Bacchus and its attendant orgies should not be seen. DAVID NEWSOME.

July 27, 1876.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

MONDAY EVENING, July 31, 1876.

Gold in New York, 111⅞.

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 89½; selling 90¼.

Silver—Trade dollars, 90c; other coins, 95c.

Coin Exchange on San Francisco ¼ per cent.

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent. premium.

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium.

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent. premium.

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent. premium.

The slight advance in silver reported by telegraph, in London, appears to have had no important effect yet on this coast, and the usual discount is maintained both in San Francisco and the local market. Monday is always a dull day in business circles, and to-day, though matters were not as brisk as may be expected during the week now commenced, has nevertheless shown as much life as usual on corresponding days. There are no important changes of a financial character, everything seeming to move on in the ordinary channels without much friction, the demand for monetary favors being very limited, and though the usual rates are asked, there is evidently but little disposition to borrow, where it can be avoided, and business men generally seem disposed to curtail operations for the season, rather than enlarge them on borrowed capital. This is especially true in regard to traffic in domestic products, and is regarded by some as one of the most discouraging signs of the times. Money is not lacking, but trade is so much depressed that men are not willing to invest when that operation promises no profit with no strong improbability that it will turn out the reverse. The local improvements going on, and the salmon and wool trade are making some demand upon the circulating capital of the country, but yet there are no general intimations of scarcity to meet all the requirements for other purposes.

An ample or over supply of money is also noted at the East. In New York, some time ago, the bankers ceased paying interest on the balances of country banks on deposit. The bank managers of other cities, notably Boston and Chicago, are now following the example of New York. In Chicago a number of the leading commercial banks have united in an arrangement by which they deduct the amount of $3,000 from the daily balance on which interest is paid, and allow interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum only upon balances in excess of that sum. The Pittsburgh bankers, to such of their correspondents as keep an account rarely falling below $10,000 or $15,000, allow interest on current balances at the rate of 3½@4 per cent. annually; but where accounts fall much below that figure it is generally becoming the custom to refuse any interest whatever.

There is not a very different state of affairs on the other side of the Atlantic. While the Germans are regretting that the French war indemnity of five milliards, £200,000,000, has brought neither wealth nor happiness, M. Octave Noel is groaning over the fact that there is lying idle in the coffers of the Bank of France a metallic reserve of £60,000,000. "Simple-minded people," he writes, "will consider this an element of wealth, and will think that with this accumulation of gold France has attained the apogee of prosperity; our opinion is that it is the symptom of a serious and persistent crisis." Altogether, M. Octave Noel estimates that 3,300,000,000 francs are now lying idle in France.

Trade of the United States.

The chief of the bureau of statistics furnishes the following statement of imports and exports for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1876. The returns for June not being all in, the figures for that month are partly estimated:

Domestic exports of merchandise (specie value)	$522,000,000
Exports of foreign merchandise	14,000,000
Total	$536,000,000
Imports of merchandise	460,000,000
Excess of exports over imports	$76,000,000

In the previous year the imports of merchandise exceeded the exports by over 19,000,000—a showing in favor of 1876, as compared with 1875, of about $95,000,000. Our exports of specie and bullion in 1876 exceeded the imports by $53,000,000; which, added to the excess of merchandise exports above shown, gives the surplus of exports, on goods and specie combined, $129,000,000.

Trade Matters

Generally, are manifesting quite as much life as is expected at this season of the year, which is never a period of much briskness. Merchants from the interior are making some quite large orders for seasonable goods to piece out their stocks until fall, the requirements of the present being somewhat increased by the fact that the embargo placed on transportation by the high water produced an actual scarcity of many necessary goods in some localities. These wants have been supplied during two or three weeks past, giving a rather greater volume to transactions than usually occurs in July. August, especially the first half of it, promises only a moderate degree of activity, as the harvest being late, will take up a good portion of the month, and but little of the crop will be marketed before the 20th. The hope of a tolerably brisk fall trade, however is generally entertained, and should any circumstances, either at home or abroad, happen to stimulate the produce market and enhance the prices for grain and fruit, there is no doubt the hope will be realized as the surplus of these products will be unprecedentedly large in our State.

We have nothing new in the local markets to report to-day. There is some talk of a better feeling in the wheat market, caused by the slight advance in England noted in our dispatches published this morning, but in the absence of transactions quotations are unchanged. We would fain wish that the little rise in Liverpool would continue, as it would insure an improving market here, but as the cause, given by telegraph, the state of the weather, may change with another day's report and send the market down again, the basis it affords for operating here is entirely too uncertain to give matters any impetus.

The produce receipts at this time are light, and as the surplus in many commodities in this line is nearly or quite exhausted the volume of business must be small comparatively until after harvest, which is now attracting the principal attention of the country.

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship John L. Stephens will be due from San Francisco to-morrow evening.

The steamship Gussie Telfair will arrive from the Sound the latter part of the week and sail for Shoalwater Bay on Sunday evening.

The ship City of Sparta is about ready to begin loading at Pacific wharf.

The bark Cornea, at Flanders' wharf, has her ballast out and will load at once.

The Warwick Castle is about due here to load salmon and breadstuffs for the English market.

The bark Melancthon, from San Francisco, is due at Astoria.

The barkentine Portland sailed from San Francisco for this port on Sunday.

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots, $1 35@$1 40 per cental, sacked.

FLOUR—Quotable, best brands, $5 00 ℔ bbl, good outside and country brands, $4 50@$4 75, fine and superfine, $4 00@4 25.

OATS—Surprise, 72½c per bushel, common 60@65c, black, 60c.

BARLEY—Choice brewing, $1 20@1 25; feed, $1 15@1 20 ℔ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran $22 50 ℔ ton; shorts $25@27 50; chopped, middlings, etc., $27 50; oil cake meal, $27 50@$30.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter solid, 18@20c ℔ lb; brine, 18@20c; roll, 25@28c; fancy dairy, 25@30c; cheese quotable at 15@20c ℔ lb.

EGGS—The supply being light a higher rate maintains than is warranted by the San Francisco quotations; quotable at 27½@30 cents per dozen for the local trade.

POTATOES—The old crop nearly exhausted; quoted at [illegible] per bushel; new at 75@90c.

ONIONS—As to quality, $2 00@2 25 ℔ 100 lbs.

HAY—Choice timothy, baled, $15@$16; loose, $12@$14.

LARD—Oregon made, fresh, in tins 15@17c ℔ lb, in kegs 17c.

DRIED PLUMS—With pits, 4@6c; pitless, 14@15c ℔ lb.

CHICKENS—Full grown $3@4 50 ℔ doz.

BACON—Hams choice 16@17c; common to choice 12@14c ℔ lb; sides 13c; shoulders 9c.

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed 5@5½c ℔ lb; on foot, 1½@2½c; dressed hogs, 6@6½c ℔ lb; mutton sheep $2 50@3 ℔ head.

WOOL—Choice Willamette valley, 15@16c; common, 11@12c; Eastern Oregon and Walla Walla, 11@16c, all according to quality and condition.

HIDES AND FURS—We quote best selected hides at 11c ℔ lb; culls, 7c; green 3@5c; elk, 10@15c ℔ lb; deer, 16@25c ℔ lb for dried, and 50@75c each, green; mink skins, $1 50 each; otter $1@5 each; beaver, $ 75@3.

San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—Flour—Best extra from old wheat jobbing at $5 37½@5 87½, payable all in silver, 30 days.

Wheat—Private advices from Liverpool more favorable in presence of wet weather; sales here at close of last week embrace 2,000 sacks choice new at $1 55; 3,000 sks choice old milling, $1 60; shippers still name $1 50@1 52½ as their best rates.

Barley—Feed weak at $1 in silver.

Oats—Good new sold at close of last week at $1 57½ part silver, choice old, $1 75.

Rye—$1 55, all silver.

Corn—$1 25 for large yellow.

Hay—Cargo lots, $8@13.

Potatoes—Weak at 60@65c; sweet $1 50@1 75.

Legal tenders—Irregular at 89¾, buying, 90@90½ selling.

Brokers are buying half dollars to-day at 93¼@94, selling 94½@94¾; trade dollars 89½@90½.

Liverpool wheat market to-day, 9s 6d@9s 8d for average California; 9s 8d@10s for club.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT made by Ordinance No. 1788, for the improvement of Second street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1754, on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of Second street lying between A street and Taylor street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof.

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Ass'mnt.
23	1, 2,	Methodist E. Church	$48 90
22	8½ 1,	Est of I. A. Davenport	25 25
22	E 75 ft N½ 1,	Samuel McKee	11 85
21	1,	J. P. O. Lownsdale	76 18
21	2,	Wm. Beck & Son	70 17
20	2 & E 80 ft S½ 1,	A. V. T. Cadwell	35 40
20	E 84 ft N½ 1,	J. B. Garrison	11 65
18	2,	Miller & Acker and Ira Goodnough	23 00
18	1,	A. B. Hallock and Est. Wm. McMillan	25 00
17	4,	Est of Wm. McMillan & J. H. Lappeus	49 07
17	1 & N½ 2,	Wm Sherlock	68 96
17	3 & S½ 2,	C. P. Bacon	71 38
39	1, 2,	Arthur Fable	10 37
12	7, 8,	Wm. Grey & A. H. Reynolds	55 65
13	5, 6, 7	Est of I. A. Davenport	117 75
13	W 70 ft 8,	John Tanner	23 00
14	7 & W 30 ft 8,	Est of I. A. Davenport	126 50
14	E 70 ft 8	City of Portland	19 50
15	7, 8,	G. W. Vaughn	91 00
16	N½ 7,	M. Ahern	22 87
16	S½ 7,	H. W. Corbett	22 86
38	7, 8,	Fred Bickel	46 00
41	5, 6, 7, 8,	Benj. Stark	138 75
29	5,	Mitchell Dolph & Carr	23 00
29	6,	A. R. Richardson	23 35
29	7,	John O'Connor	24 60
29	8,	Lloyd Brooke	1 65
			$1261 69

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

July 26, 1876. jy27d10t

Columbia Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment made by Ordinance No. 1790 for the improvement of Columbia street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1753 on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of Columbia street lying between Second & Tenth streets, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer, in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessm't.
131,	E½ 8, E½ N 16 feet 7,	Mrs. D. Kent	$23 47
131,	W½ 8, W½ N 16 ft 7,	J. H. Ritchey	29 19
131,	S 34 ft 7,	A. Meier	19 14
			$71 80

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

July 26, 1876. jy26d10t

NOTICE.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland until 4 o'clock P. M., Monday, July 31, 1876, for lighting, extinguishing and keeping in order the street oil lamps for the term of one year in accordance with the provisions of Ordinance No. 1791.

Bids must state the price per lamp per month.

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder, he will, upon its being so awarded, enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance.

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Albany	5:30 A. M.	Portland	10:05 A. M.

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LEAVE.		ARRIVE.	
Portland	6:15 A. M.	Junction	6:00 P. M.
Junction	5:45 A. M.	Portland	5:15 P. M.

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Tacoma	7:00 A. M.	Kalama	12:30 P. M.

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July 25, 1876.

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PORTLAND, Oregon, July 24th 1876.

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EASTERN [illegible]

SARATOGA, Aug. 1.—The [illegible] attendance large [illegible] mile dash, was won by [illegible] Time, 1:44.

In the second race, two [illegible] start. Warlock cut out the [illegible] three-quarters, when St. Martin [illegible] made for the [illegible] der, but did not [illegible] of the stretch was [illegible] 2:37¾. Pennington 2d [illegible] The mile and a quarter [illegible] Courier second, [illegible] third [illegible] Caribou the favorite, won [illegible] second, Weasel third. Win[illegible]

BUFFALO, Aug. 1.—[illegible] the races to-day. The [illegible] 2:26 class was [illegible] Kate at once. [illegible] 2:29, 2:27, 2:28. In the [illegible] Lime Fred won. Aly B. [illegible] time, 2:23, 2:19½, 2:24 [illegible]

TROY, Aug. 1.—A large [illegible]

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 1.—A [illegible] county, Mo. [illegible] several dwelling and [illegible] injured [illegible] Webb was [illegible] fatally injured. [illegible] was also killed.

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PHILADELPHIA, [illegible]

[illegible]

WASHINGTON [illegible]

National Debt St[illegible]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The debt [illegible] reduction of $1,136,083; coin [illegible] currency, $12,[illegible]; coin [illegible] special deposits for redemption [illegible] of deposit, $31,515,000 [illegible] $6,919,228.

Congress to Adjourn [illegible]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—The ways [illegible] mittee to-day authorized the chair[illegible] concurrent resolution for the adj[illegible] tion at noon on Monday next.

Nominations — by the P[illegible]

WASHINGTON, August 1.—The Pr[illegible] nated Oscar Holt for collector of [illegible] for the second district of Lou[illegible] G. Putnam, U. S. attorney for Col[illegible] Tompkins, U. S. Marshal for Color[illegible]

The Currency to be Inv[illegible]

The banking and currency com[illegible]

The Resumption Act will [illegible] be Repealed.

[illegible]

The Pistol Gaat[illegible]

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—Goode's [illegible]